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RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of February 28, 2001 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 1, 46, 48, 59 and 65 as follows:

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1. (amended) A method for digitally processing transform data representing a phenomenon, the method comprising:
performing an inverse transform of said transform data to the real domain
forming high-precision numbers; and
directly manipulating said high-precision numbers without first converting the high precision number to integers to produce an effect.

46. (amended) A system for digitally processing transform data representing a phenomenon, the system comprising:
an inverse transformer to perform an inverse transform of the transform data to the real domain using high-precision numbers; and

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